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SUBJECT: BILATERAL FISHERIES NEGOTIATIONS

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2. FILA ALSO NOTED ABSENCE FROM THE U. S. LIST OF ANY PROPOSED DISCUSSION OF U. S.- POLISH SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION IN FISHERIES RESEARCH, STATUS OF WHICH HE THOUGHT WOULD BE USEFUL TO REVIEW DURING THE FORTHCOMING NEGOTIATIONS. EMBASSY IS AWARE THAT SEVERAL RESEARCH COOPERATION POSSIBILITIES WERE DISCUSSED DURING EDWARDS-GROSSLIEN VISIT HERE IN FEBRUARY, BUT WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT THE STATUS OF THIS MATTER MAY BE AT PRESENT, NOR HAVE THE POLES FORWARDED ANY PROJECT PROPOSALS, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF EDWARDS' PRESENCE ON U. S. DELEGATION, DISCUSSION OF THIS SUBJECT SEEMS APPROPRIATE, AND WE THEREFORE RECOMMEND THAT EMBASSY BE INSTRUCTED TO TELL FILA WE HAVE

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3. OUR IMPRESSION IS THAT NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE MAY BE WAITING FOR SOME WRITTEN COOPERATIVE RESEARCH PROPOSALS R. VIDOVIH NOT PRESENT AT CONVERSATION BETWEEN PRESIDENT AND GODOY, BUT LATTER TOLD HIM PRESIDENT HAD CONGRATULATED HIM ON ROLE HE HAD PLAYED. GODOY ALSO REPORTEDLY SAID STROESSNER HAD EXPRESSED SATISFACTION NEXT CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN ASUNCION, COMMENTED THIS WOULD HELP GIVE LIE TO THOSE WHO ACCUSED GOP OF BEING TOLERANT OF TRAFFICKING.

4. COMMENT: IF VIDOVIH REPORTED CONVERSATION BETWEEN STROESSNER AND GODOY CORRECTLY, IT WOULD APPEAR THAT PRESIDENT, WHO PREVIOUSLY TOOK LINE THAT THE LESS SAID ABOUT DRUGS PUBLICLY THE BETTER, HAS CHANGED HIS VIEWS ON HOW TO HANDLE DRUG PROBLEMS AND RECOGNIZED THAT IT IS IN PARAGUAY'S INTEREST TO BE SEEN TO BE TAKING ACTION AGAINST TRAFFIC IN DRUGS.
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